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**Group Art Unit:** 3723

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**Examiner:** Robert C. Watson

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 15 2005 please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

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